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Mr. Gray was born in Chester county, Pa., Dec. 15, 1828. He was the son of John Hannah Gray. His ancestors are believed to be of the name of Grays, his great-grandfather having emigrated from England with William Penn, and settled in Chester county, Pa., where he died in 1780. He was educated in the common schools of his native county, and at the University of Pennsylvania.

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EXPLOSION OF POWDER.

No One Killed, but Several Seriously Injured.

Only this, Feb. 15.—A tremendous explosion of powder and gas, caused by an overcharged blast, occurred in the coal mine yesterday afternoon. No one was killed outright, but several were seriously injured and a number quite badly hurt. The most severely wounded were:

L. Wiegand, burned about face and body; probably fatal. Samuel Smith, badly burned about face; probably fatal. James Thaddeus and son, burned about face and arms seriously. George Bain, burned and also injured by flying coal. Albert Little, John Inch and John Chambers were almost smothered to death.

A stranger named seriously. Ben Boye, ear and burned seriously. John Christie, badly burned.

No War Will Be Declared. City of Mexico, Feb. 15.—Mexico's conditions have been peacefully accepted by the United States. The conditions will be published locally next week. Both sides have agreed. The Mexican question is at last amicably settled upon an equitable basis between the two republics.

The boundary between the two countries will be definitely determined upon a year later. It is expected that the United States will also pay damages for Mexican property destroyed. Guatemala's acceptance of Mexico's conditions will arrive here next week. The United States will also pay damages for Mexican property destroyed.

Employed at San Salvador. KANSAS CITY, Feb. 15.—A special to The Journal from Port Scott, Kan., says: From a letter from San Salvador, Jan. 20, it is learned that Archie McArthur, a well known local contractor, is a prisoner at San Salvador, as an exile from Guatemala on account of political and other reasons. The United States has been notified of the situation, and is under guard in the prison. He is prohibited from corresponding with any person outside the prison, according to the letter received here, which was written by a personal friend.

The Found Party. WAYNESVILLE, O., Feb. 15.—The citizens of Waynesville held a public meeting to divide a plan to relieve the suffering of destitute families. A pound of food was distributed to the poor. The meeting was held in the evening, and was attended by a large number of people. The food was distributed to the poor, and the meeting was a success.

San Francisco, Feb. 15.—Mrs. Mary Meyer, an aged cook, placed arsenic in the flour barrel of her employer, Robert Meyer, who had long been employed at that district in the house of representatives. After a close contest, the case was decided in favor of the woman, who was released from prison. The case was a sensational one, and attracted much attention.

Duck Hunting Party. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15.—The Evening Bulletin says that a complaint will be forwarded to Governor Budd, alleging that the large duck owned by the Pacific Mail Steamship company, is gradually rotting through neglect. The case is being investigated, and the company is being held responsible for the condition of the duck.

Victory For Treaty People. ALBANY, Feb. 15.—Attorney General Hancock has handed down a decision denying the application for permission to bring action to vacate the charter of the Brooklyn Heights Railroad company. The decision is a victory for the treaty people, who have been fighting the case for some time.

Agent Couple Barred to Death. GALESTOWN, Feb. 15.—At an early hour Thursday fire consumed a small shanty in the west end of the city before the fire department, hampered by a heavy snowfall, could reach the spot. The occupants, an old colored couple named Jordan, were burned to death, and those of his wife are being searched for.

SENATE AND HOUSE.

Doings of Both Branches of the National Legislature.

THE CARLISLE BILL DEFEATED.

The Third Attempt of the Administration at This Session to Secure Legislation Looking to the Relief of the Treasury Failed in the House—Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—The third attempt of the administration at this session to secure legislation looking to the relief of the treasury failed in the house yesterday. First, the Carlisle bill was defeated. The bill was introduced by Mr. Carlisle, and was designed to provide for the redemption of the treasury notes. It was defeated by a vote of 150 to 100.

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SCHOONER SUNK.

The Marion F. Sprague Goes Down On Delaware Bay.

BAITMORE, Feb. 15.—Captain Hawley of the steamship Queensmore, from Liverpool, reports: Tenth inst., a. m., rescued from a boat the crew of the schooner Marion F. Sprague, from Lambert's Point for Preston with a cargo of coal, sunk by ice off Delaware bay. The crew (eight all told) took to the vessel's boat two of them died in the boat from exposure. The men were picked up 100 miles east northeast of Cape Charles, 11th at 10 p. m., 190 miles east northeast of Cape Charles, rescued the crew (eight all told) from schooner Alma Cummings, Columbia master, from Port Royal, S. C., for Boston, with lumber, wrecked and dismantled. Captain Hawley brought the survivors of both vessels to Baltimore.

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COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 15.—The committee preparing the constitution for the Independent Order of the Knights of Labor completed its work last night. A large part of the old constitution is eliminated so as to give local and district assemblies more latitude in the management of their own affairs. The authority of the general assembly is retained, but the local and district assemblies are given more power.

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MEXICAN NEWS.

The Weather Very Severe and Shipping Interests Endangered.

CITY OF MEXICO, Feb. 15.—A heavy windstorm prevails throughout this valley. The weather continues severe on the gulf, and it is feared shipping is endangered. The city is full of pilgrims from the state of Puebla, for robbery. In a fight which ensued, three Americans and two Mexicans were seriously wounded. Six of the outlaws were captured, and the police are closely pursuing the rest of the band.

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Highest of All in Leavening Power.

Y. & G. Co's Report, Asks \$5, 100.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

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TALKS OF THE TOWN.

Charity Ball to-night.
Dr. L. J. Stueber is able to be out after being confined to his home for several days from illness.

At Rev. W. A. Leonard, Dr. D. will officiate in Christian Sunday. Confirmation in the evening.

The Fortnightly Cooking Club met at the home of Mrs. M. L. Johnston last evening and had a very enjoyable time.

A number of members of the I. O. O. F. will go to Delphos this evening to witness the institution of an Elks lodge.

Will Hansen entertained about twenty-five of his young friends, Wednesday evening, at his home on North Elizabeth street.

The music for the Charity Ball will commence to-night at 8:30 o'clock. All who contemplate attending are requested to bear this fact in mind.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bill-Elm Jr., who were married a few days ago, have gone to house-keeping in a newly furnished home at the corner of Wayne and Jackson streets.

A Valentine party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Linn, on South Metcalf street, last evening. It was a very enjoyable affair and was attended by about a dozen couple.

The observance of the anniversary of Washington's birthday in the public schools next Friday will be general. There will be appropriate exercises in nearly all the rooms, in the afternoon.

The Social Dancing Club gave another pleasant dance in the Klaus hall last night. Among those in attendance from out of the city were Miss Hughes, of Peoria, Ill.; Miss Collins, of Sidney, and Miss Donohue, of Troy.

Burglars entered the C. H. & D. depot at Bowling Green, Tuesday evening, through a rear window. The lot machines were robbed and the electric light works, about 5 o'clock last evening, in reference to the furnishing of power for the new cars. The difficulty was finally adjusted without any bloodshed, and the cars put into operation.

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and Mrs. A. H. Phillips, of Findlay, went to Delphos this morning to spend the day with friends.

Amos Albert and Aaron Albert, Miss Mary and Carrie Albert, and Karl Albert, of this city, went to Middlepoint this morning to attend the funeral of Alonzo Meichling, a relative.

Misses Halse Hutchison, Mayne Freeman and Bertha Hatch left this morning for Anna Arbor, Mich., to attend the annual exercises of the Juniors of the University. While there they will be the guests of Mrs. Mason, of east Washington street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Day, who were married at Ottawa last evening, arrived in the city last night, enroute to their future home in Fostoria. The wedding was one of the events of the season at Ottawa, and was attended by a large number of guests.

ROOF ON FIRE.
A Residence in the Eastern Part of the City Damaged This Morning.

Shortly before 10 o'clock this morning the roof of James Knapp's residence, at the corner of Wayne and Shawnee streets, became ignited from a defective flue, and the flames had gained considerable headway before they were discovered.

An alarm was sent in from box 32, at the corner of High and Sugar streets, and the central department responded. One line of hose was laid and after a large amount of water was thrown the flames were extinguished. The roof over the kitchen was burned off and the interior of the building was considerably damaged by water. The loss is estimated at \$150.

TWO DRUNKS.
Arraigned Before Mayor Smiley This Morning and Tried.

Al Wilson and a tramp, giving his name as Ed Reed, of Detroit, were arraigned before Mayor Smiley this morning.

Wilson came to town yesterday to sell a pony, but instead of disposing of the one, he purchased several and became intoxicated. His horse and buggy were taken to a livery stable by the police, and he locked up. He pleaded guilty to a charge of drunkenness and was fined \$6.00, which he secured.

Reed is a crippled fellow and spent yesterday selling lead pencils on the streets. He drank to excess and said the last he remembered was of singing a song in a saloon. He was sentenced to five days imprisonment in the city prison.

CENTRAL KNOCKED OUT.
Such is Reported the Result of a Telephone Fight at Norwalk.

The fierce fight that has raged between the Central Union and Harrison telephone companies at Norwalk is said to be over.

A letter received by an official of the Harrison company states that the Central Union officers have left the town, and the company is removing a number of its telephones.

The Harrison company has one hundred and seventy telephones in operation in the town, with orders enough to make it two hundred. The only Central Union phones now in use in the town are those which the company refused to take down.

It is stated upon good authority that the Central will soon offer telephones in Toledo at \$15 per telephone. This will precipitate a delightful battle, as the company will probably limit such contracts to one year each. The Harrison company has put up a number of telephones in Toledo, and is quickly making a large amount of work for *Delphos Herald*.

Lima seems to be about the only town in the State that is not enjoying or about to enjoy cheap telephone rates. There is a unanimous demand for cheaper service and any company that will take the matter in hand will not want for subscribers.

A Great "Treat."
In Cloaks, Blankets, Shawls, Skirts, and winter goods of all kinds. We will not argue about the price; your price is our price. Come and take advantage of it.

TREATS.
200 North Main Street.

COURT HOUSE NEWS.
NEW CASES.

Samuel Fitzsimmons vs. Reuben B. Hickok; damages, amount, \$10,000. About a year ago young Fitzsimmons was passing up the alley in the rear of Watson's grocery when he was hit by the wheel and crippled. Hickok was in a shed in the rear of the grocery shooting at rats, when the bullet missed the mark and, passing through a crack, struck Fitzsimmons.

The Daintiest Design.
In the new dress gingham and paracels can now be seen at Feltz's dry goods store.

A Card of Thanks.
We desire to return our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors in Heaven Dam and Lima who so kindly assisted us during the illness and death of our daughter and sister, Annie Chipman; also for floral offerings and choir.

J. B. CHIPMAN AND FAMILY.

Take advantage of Gooding's mid-winter shoe sale.

Come
to the First Baptist church to-night. Subject of sermon, "From Love to Grace." All Christian workers bring bibles. Everybody invited.

C. W. Taylor.
Eye Specialist, office over City Bank Consultation free. 4 2t

Bargains in working shoes at O'Brien's, 138 N. Main.

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SLOT MACHINES

Robbed Yesterday Evening by a Gang of Organized Thieves.

Weighting Machine in the Different Railroad Depots Broken Open and the Contents Extracted.

An organized gang of slot machine workers visited this city yesterday, and during the afternoon and evening touched the weighting machines in the C. & E. C. H. & D. and L. E. & W. passenger depots.

At the latter depot the thieves went into the office while ticket agent Burch was absent and after knocking off the lock, ripped open the sack and extracted the contents which agent Burch thinks did not amount to over 40 or 50 cents, as he had emptied the sack a few days before.

The C. H. & D. passenger depot, opposite the L. E. & W., was visited and the lock of the machine in the ladies' waiting room broken off. The contents, however, were not disturbed, the thieves probably being frightened away before they could finish the job.

The lock of the door at the P. F. W. & C. depot was tampered with, but the thieves failed to gain an entrance.

This afternoon Day Operator Thatcher, of the C. & E. depot, discovered that the weighting machine which stands in the gentlemen's waiting room, had also been broken open some time since yesterday morning and the contents of the money sack taken.

All three robberies are supposed to have been committed by the same party or parties, as all the machines were broken into in the same manner.

The machine at the C. & E. depot has been robbed half a dozen times within the past two years at almost regular intervals and the work is apparently done by some one who makes a specialty of robbing slot machines in public places. It is thought that there were two or three hundred penalties in the machine at the C. & E.

WHAT'S THIS, MEL?
The Wapak. Statesman Declines the Revenue Appointment.

The TIMES-DEMOCRAT last Monday contained the announcement that ex-Senator Mel Shaw had been appointed as one of the income tax deputies under Revenue Collector George W. Hull.

The following dispatch from Washington says Mel declines the appointment.

Ex-State Senator Mel Shaw, of Wapakoneta, is here seeing sights with Congressman Layton. By the papers Shaw learns that he has been appointed by internal revenue collector Geo. W. Hull as a deputy to collect the internal revenue tax. He says that this is the first information he has had in the matter, and that he declines to accept the office. The salary attached is \$1,200.

"1492."
The Great Opera Extravaganza to Be in Lima Next Tuesday Evening, February Nineteenth.

"1492," with sixty people, a carload of scenery, calchunas, electric effects, etc., will appear at the Faurot opera house Tuesday, Feb. 19. This is the biggest attraction of the season.

"1492" is a story of the discovery of this country by Columbus, and the theme permits of the introduction of the most elaborate scenic display, and its humor is so pointed as to contain laughter in every line. The music is sweet and pretty, while the novelties and specialties in ballets, the Tramp, charming Queen Isabella, the Chief ballet, the Chappies, the Hurrah Dudes, the Casino Girls, and the Spanish ballet, are exceedingly good and clever.

Reserved seats will be on sale at Melville's Prices: First four rows in orchestra, \$1; balance orchestra and boxes, \$1.50; parquette, \$1; balcony, 50c and 75c; gallery, 25c.

Taffy, Taffy, Taffy.
For Saturday only we will give each purchaser of one pound of taffy one additional pound, free.

THURING'S.
137 North Main Street.

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Are the inducements offered this week at Gooding's mid-winter shoe sale.

Tea Punch.
Use heated metal bowl. Take one-half pint of good brandy, one-half pint of rum, one-quarter pound of loaf sugar, dissolved in water; one ounce of best green tea, one quart of boiling water and one large lemon. Infuse the tea in the water. Warm a silver or other metal bowl until quite hot; place in it the brandy, rum, sugar and the juice of the lemon. The oil of the lemon peel should be first obtained by rubbing with a few lumps of sugar. Set the contents of the bowl on fire, and while flaming pour in the tea gradually, stirring with a ladle. It will continue to burn for some time, and should be ladled into glasses while in that condition. A heated metal bowl will cause the punch to burn longer than if a china bowl is used.

Syrup of Figs.
Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, head-aches and fevers and cures habitual constipation. Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of its kind ever produced, pleasing to the taste and acceptable to the stomach, prompt in its action and truly beneficial in its effects, prepared only from the most healthy and agreeable substances, its many excellent qualities commend it to all and have made it the most popular remedy known.

Syrup of Figs for sale in 50c and \$1 bottles by all leading druggists. Any reliable druggist who may not have it on hand will procure it promptly for any one who wishes to try it. Do not accept any substitute.

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STREET TALK.

One of the events of the season at Bluffton was an invitation ball given in the Bluffton house last evening, hosted by the managers, Messrs. Eaton & Bick. A number of young people from Lima and Findlay were in attendance and the affair was a very enjoyable one.

Lima Lodge of R. P. O. Elks, after the business meeting last evening, celebrated the anniversary of their second year in the new lodge room, with a banquet. It was participated in by many members of the order, and though an informal affair, proved highly enjoyable for those who happened to be present.

P. J. Kelly, of North Elizabeth street, upon his arrival home for dinner to-day, was confronted by his father, Moses Kelly, who, after a neat speech, presented him with a fine gold watch and chain, suitably engraved as follows:

"From Father to P. J. Kelly on his twenty-first birthday, Feb. 15, 1895."

Supt. O. W. Bell, of the L. E. & W., whose successor has been appointed, as was stated in the TIMES-DEMOCRAT day before yesterday, will retire from his present office on or about the 1st of March. He expects his successor, Mr. Bickell, now of the Panhandle, to arrive here not later than the 20th of this month.

Mr. Bell's health has been poor for the past few months and he may retire, at least temporarily, from railroad life, but as to this he is yet undecided.

DEATH OF AN INVALID.
The Suffering of Mrs. Margaret Walker Ended This Morning.

Mrs. Margaret Walker, aged 78 years, died at the residence of Jackson Berry, 355 east Market street, at 4:30 o'clock this morning.

The deceased was formerly a resident of Fremont, where her only son, John Walker, now resides. After the death of her husband, which occurred some years ago, she came to this city and resided with Mr. and Mrs. Berry, the latter being her sister.

Mrs. Walker has, for the past thirty years, been an invalid from rheumatism, which, to other with old age, caused her death. A telegram to Fremont notified her son of the death and arrangements for the funeral services will be made upon his arrival here this evening.

GUY CURTIS.
Appointed Superintendent of the Lima Electric Street Railway.

Guy Curtis, a hunkman on Messers' transfer, has just been appointed Superintendent of the Lima Electric Street Railway company.

The appointment was made about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon by President Townsend, who leaves the management of the Lima system in charge of Mr. Curtis and returns east to-night.

Mr. Judy will be retained by the company as superintendent of equipment, his experience well qualifying him for the management of that department.

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THIEF RUN DOWN.

Will Foltz's Overcoat Recovered by the P. F. W. & C. Detectives.

Will Foltz, of the Manhattan Mandolin club, who had a nice \$35 overcoat stolen out of the P. F. W. & C. passenger coach at Plymouth, Ind., a few weeks ago, while he was enroute to Chicago with Chicago De Voe, received word yesterday that an overcoat, which is supposed to be his, had been found and the supposed thief captured.

Upon discovering that his coat had been stolen Foltz notified the P. F. W. & C. officials and detective Harley, of this city, but neither the overcoat or the thief were located until a few days ago, when the fellow was found and captured in Michigan City, Ind., with the coat in his possession.

The prisoner was taken to Plymouth, and will be arraigned before the mayor of that place for a preliminary hearing Monday.

Foltz will leave Monday morning to go to Plymouth and identify his coat.